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Attorney Docket No. 2410

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

PLANTE, et al.

Group Art Unit: 2116

Serial No. 09/552,944

Examiner: DU, Thuan N.

Filed: April 20, 2000

For: Preventing General Purpose Event
Interrupt Storms in a Computer System

Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

This communication is a response to an Office action dated September 2, 2004
(hereinafter "the Office action"). Please consider the following amendments and appended
remarks.